AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. **(Currently Amended)** A surface acoustic wave (SAW) filter comprising:

a first SAW resonator;

a second SAW resonator connected in series to said first SAW resonator at a first node;

a third SAW resonator connected in series to said second SAW resonator at a second node;

a fourth SAW resonator connected in series to said third SAW resonator at a third node;

a fifth SAW resonator connected between the first node and a ground;

a sixth SAW resonator connected between the third node and a ground;

a first capacitance element having a capacitance and being connected between the second node and a ground;

a first inductance element connect between said fifth SAW resonator and the ground such that said fifth SAW resonator and said first inductance element are connected in series; ~~and~~

a second inductance element connected between said sixth SAW resonator and the ground such that said sixth SAW resonator and said second inductance element are connected in series~~.~~;

a piezoelectric board having a surface including said first to sixth SAW resonators and said first capacitance element disposed thereon;

a first electrode, arranged on said surface of said piezoelectric board, and extending from one of the second node and the ground, said first electrode having a first edge; and

a second electrode, arranged on said surface of said piezoelectric board, and extending from another of the second node and the ground, said second electrode having a second edge parallel to and facing said first edge of said first electrode, wherein

said first capacitance element includes:

a third electrode, arranged on said surface of said piezoelectric board, and extending from said first edge of said first electrode; and

a fourth electrode, arranged on said surface of said piezoelectric board, extending from said second edge of said second electrode, and facing said third electrode in a direction perpendicular to said first and second edges with a gap formed therebetween.

2. **(Previously Presented)** The SAW filter of claim 1, further comprising a second capacitance element having a capacitance and being connected between the first node and the ground.

3. **(Previously Presented)** The SAW filter of claim 2, further comprising a third capacitance element having a capacitance and being connected between the third node and the ground.

4. **(Cancelled)**

5. **(Currently Amended)** The SAW filter of claim ~~4,~~ 1, wherein said ~~first~~ third electrode and said ~~second~~ fourth electrode have toothed portions facing each other, respectively.

6. **(Cancelled)**

7. **(Previously Presented)** A device comprising:
said SAW filter of claim 1; and
an element connected to said SAW filter.

8. **(Previously Presented)** A device comprising:
said SAW filter of claim 2; and
an element connected to said SAW filter.

9. **(Previously Presented)** A device comprising:
said SAW filter of claim 3; and

an element connected to said SAW filter.

10. **(Cancelled)**

11. **(Previously Presented)** A device comprising:
said SAW filter of claim 5; and
an element connected to said SAW filter.

12. **(Cancelled)**

13. **(Currently Amended)** The SAW filter of claim ~~4,~~ 1, wherein said first inductance element comprises a wire connected to said piezoelectric board.

14. **(Currently Amended)** The SAW filter of claim ~~4,~~ 1, wherein said second inductance element comprises a wire connected to said piezoelectric board.

15. **(Currently Amended)** The SAW filter of claim 2, ~~further comprising a piezoelectric board having said first to sixth SAW resonators provided thereon~~, wherein ~~at least one of~~ said ~~first and~~ second capacitance ~~elements~~ element further includes:

a ~~first~~ fifth electrode, arranged on said surface of said piezoelectric board, and extending from the second node; and

a ~~second~~ sixth electrode, arranged on said surface of said piezoelectric board, and extending from the ground and facing said ~~first~~ fifth electrode.

16. **(Currently Amended)** The SAW filter of claim 15, wherein said ~~first~~ fifth electrode and said ~~second~~ sixth electrode have toothed portions facing each other, respectively.

17-20. **(Cancelled)**

21. **(New)** The SAW filter of claim 1, wherein said fourth electrode is parallel to said second edge of said second electrode.

22. **(New)** The SAW filter of claim 1, wherein:

said third electrode includes a first portion extending from said first edge and a second portion extending from said first portion parallel to said first edge and said second edge, so that a gap is located between said first edge and said second portion of said third electrode; and

said fourth electrode includes a first portion extending from said second edge and a second portion extending from said first portion parallel to said first edge, said second edge, and said second portion of said third electrode, so that a gap is formed between said second edge and said second portion of said fourth electrode.

23. **(New)** The SAW filter of claim 22, wherein:

said first portion and said second portion of said third electrode form an L-shape; and

said first portion and said second portion of said fourth electrode form an L-shape.